

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 6-8, 11 and 12 were allowed.

Claims 4 and 5 were objected to and the examiner has acknowledged that these claims would be allowable if rewritten in independent form.

Claim 3 is canceled, without prejudice.

1. Claim 3 was rejected under 35 USC 102(b) as anticipated by Yucknut. Applicant has canceled claim 3, without prejudice.
2. Claims 4 and 5 were objected to as being dependent on a rejected base claim. Applicant has amended claim 4 to rewrite it in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim. Claim 5 is dependent from claim 4.

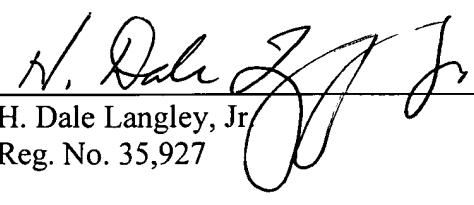
Applicant thanks the Examiner for the allowances.

If the Examiner has any questions or comments, the undersigned attorney for Applicant respectfully requests a call to discuss any issues. The Office is authorized to charge any excess fees or to credit any overage to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-1350.

Respectfully submitted,

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